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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA HELENA DIVISION

DOUG LAIR, STEVE DOGIAKOS, AMERICAN TRADITION PARTNERSHIP. AMERICAN TRADITION PARTNERSHIP PAC, MONTANA RIGHT TO LIFE ASSOCIATION PAC. SWEETGRASS COUNCIL FOR COMMUNITY INTEGRITY. LAKE COUNTY REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE. BEAVERHEAD COUNTY REPUBLICAN CENTRAL COMMITTEE. JAKE OIL, LLC, JL OIL, LLC, CHAMPION PAINTING, INC., and JOHN MILANOVICH.

Plaintiffs,

v.

JONATHAN MOTL, in his official capacity as Commissioner of Political Practices; TIM FOX, in his official capacity as Attorney General of the State of Montana; and LEO GALLAGHER, in his official capacity as Lewis and Clark County Attorney,

Defendants.

CV 12-12-H-CCL

**DEFENDANTS' MOTION FOR** IMMEDIATE PARTIAL STAY OF ORDER AND JUDGMENT PENDING APPEAL

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 62(c), Defendants move this Court for a partial stay of its Order (Doc. 278) and Amended Judgment (Doc. 280), entered in this matter on May 17, 2016. This motion is supported by Defendants' Brief in Support of Motion for Immediate Partial Stay of Order and Judgment Pending Appeal. Pursuant to Local Rule 7.1(c)(1), opposing counsel has been contacted and oppose this motion.

Respectfully submitted this 19th day of May, 2016.

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